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New Unit

Unit 7 Anchor Text #1

**“Va. Toddler Dies After Father Leaves Him in SUV”
by Michael Laris, Washington Post Staff Writer**

***** Make sure to keep this anchor text handout in your folder and bring this anchor text handout with you to class each day. Do not lose this handout. We will be referring back to this text from time to time throughout the new unit.**

Vocabulary: Check out Longman English Dictionary @ <http://www.ldoceonline.com/>

Herndon = city in the State of Virginia

con·sult·ing [uncountable]

the service of providing advice to companies

man·ag·er [countable]

1 someone whose job is to manage part or all of a company or other organization

man·slaugh·ter [uncountable]

law the crime of killing someone illegally but not deliberately [**>** homicide, murder]:

 *She was cleared of murder but found guilty of manslaughter.*

con·vict [transitive]

to prove or officially announce that someone is guilty of a crime after a trial in a law court [**≠** acquit]

convict somebody of something

 *She was convicted of shoplifting.*

convict somebody on something

 *He was convicted on fraud charges.*

 *a convicted murderer*

mal·ice [uncountable]

1 the desire to harm someone because you hate them

with malice

 *His eyes gleamed with malice.*

sheer/pure malice

 *She did it out of sheer malice.*